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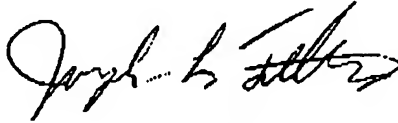
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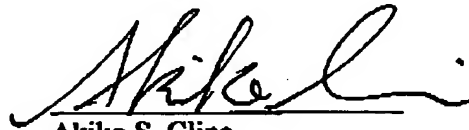
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Applicants respond herein to the Office Action mailed April 4, 2005.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** are presented on page 2.

**Amendments to the Claims** appear in the listing of claims that begins on page 3.

**Amendments to the Drawings** are discussed on page 9 and provided as an enclosure.

**Remarks** begin on page 10.